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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

#### FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

  Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$27 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

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- \$385 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$27

■ \$27 for 3 total claims over 20.

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X Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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 March 9, 2004

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In re Patent Application of: William T. Rapczynski

Application No.: 10/797,469

Filed: March 9, 2004

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

VISUALLY DIFFERENTIATING BETWEEN

NATURAL TOOTH STRUCTURE AND A

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Art Unit: N/A

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed May 26, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, the Filing Fee for the Application (as shown on accompanying Fee Transmittal), and Part 2 Copy of Notice.

Application No.: 10/797,469 2 Docket No.: 20051/0200488-US0

Our check in the amount of \$477.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) and the filing fee for the subject application is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency of up to \$300.00 or credit any excess in this fee to Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

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